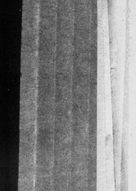

Wasted money is wasted lives. Don't waste precious lives. Every dollar you can spare should be used to buy War Bonds. Buy your ten per cent every pay day.

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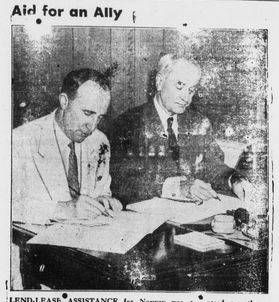
It's common sense to be thrifty. If you save you are thrifty. War Bonds help you to save and help to save America. Buy your ten per-cent every pay day.

Yesterday and Today

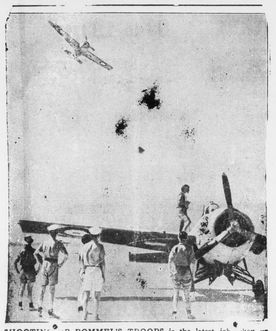
The Motor Transport Department of the U. S. Marine Corps used "Jeeps" as early as January 29, 1931, when the top picture was taken. Below, Leathernecks test the modern jeep. The Marine Corps, now at its greatest strength, depends heavily on motorized transportation.

Aid for an Ally



LEND-LEASE ASSISTANCE for Norway was announced recently as Secretary of State Cordell Hull (right) and Norway's Ambassador William Morgenstierne signed an agreement in Washington. Norway's merchant fleet, the fourth largest in the world and one of the most modern, is transporting supplies to United Nations armies all over the world. Lend-lease helps bring the U. S. will mean more ships for this great convoy.

NAVY ON THE DESERT



SHOOTING UP ROMMEL'S TROOPS is the latest job taken on by the Royal Navy. In close support of the hard-fighting 8th Army in North Africa, warships of the British Mediterranean fleet have several times sailed perilously close inshore to bombard Axis troops and supplies. They have pumped more than 2000 shells in six nights into Matruh harbor alone. Planes of the fleet, operating from desert airfields, as shown in this picture, are joining with the R.A.F. to bomb and machine-gun the [illegible]

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FEATURED in the August issue of Good Housekeeping Magazine is this perfect all-wool two-piece dress which can double for a suit with the addition of a blouse or dickey. It comes in brown, black, Defense blue and raspberry.

Everyday Items Put on List of Defense Needs

WASHINGTON.—The government has put consumers tentatively on notice that they may have to step aside until defense needs are met on a long list of everyday items, ranging from mattresses and cameras to woolen underwear and fire extinguishers.

The list included wool, cotton, flannel and other types of cloth, wool and leather gloves, motion picture projection and sound equipment, medicinal chemicals, woolen and cotton-wool socks, hospital uniforms, and business office equipment such as addressing and duplicating machines.

These and other items were added to the list of "critical items" issued monthly by the priorities division of the Office of Production Management. In all there were some 40 items, raising the total number now classified as "critical" to approximately 300.

What You Buy With WAR BONDS

The 50-caliber Browning machine gun is one of the most efficient short range weapons used by U. S. Fighting forces. It is effective at ranges up to 2,000 yards and fires about 600 forty-five caliber bullets per minute.

One of these guns costs about $1,500, while a thirty-caliber machine gun costs approximately $600. Our fighting forces need thousands of these rapid-fire guns. Even a small town or community can buy many of them by uniting in the purchase of War Bonds. At least ten percent of your income in War Bonds every pay day will do the trick.

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In the second place, such efforts to mislead would be conducted in full view of the public and of the officials empowered to apply fraud laws.

In the third place, dishonest advertising is as inefficient as dirty football. It does not pay.

Informed people have lost interest in the advertising-baiting books and speeches of the radical self-appointed reformers since one after another of them has figured prominently before the House Special Committee on un-American Activities.

Courtesy Nation's Business

DR. MEADE FERGUSON

Prominent Son of Appomattox Passes in Richmond at Age of 73

Dr. Meade Ferguson, 73, associate bacteriologist, division of chemistry, State Department of Agriculture, died last Thursday, August 6 at his home, 2904 Chamberlayne Ave., Richmond, after an illness of several months.

Funeral services were held Friday at 4:30 P. M. at St. Thomas Episcopal Church, Richmond, conducted by the Rev. G. McLaren Brydon, D. D. Interment was in the Forest Lawn Cemetery.

Dr. Ferguson was born March 17, 1869 at Cloverhill plantation, Appomattox County, and was the son of Fanny Cole Ferguson and Mrs. Fanny Goin Ferguson. His early education was at private schools of Appomattox County, and he had as his tutors the well-known Colonel R. B. Poore and H. M. Bethel.

In 1893 he entered the Virginia Polytechnic Institute at Blacksburg. He graduated there in the class of 1896. Later he took the M. S. degree at V. P. I. in 1898, and then went abroad to pursue graduate studies at the University of Goettingen, Germany, where he won the Ph. D. degree in 1902. His bacteriological major work was taken under the famous educator, Dr. Fleischmann.

The career of Dr. Ferguson stands as an inspiration to young men. He worked his way through the world's leading schools and mastered the science of agriculture at Leipzig and Goettingen, and upon his return to the United States became professor of bacteriology at V. P. I. and conducted successful experiments in introducing the crop of alfalfa into Virginia. He was the author of a Farmers Guide and Account Book and of various bulletins on agricultural and scientific subjects. He developed cultures for inoculating alfalfa and other legumes. He organized and operated the bacteriological laboratory for the Health Department of Virginia as the first state bacteriologist and also made the first extended sanitary survey of oyster beds in the state.

Dr. Ferguson was connected with the State Health Department from 1908 to 1914 and was editor of the Southern Planter from 1914 to 1927. He became associated with the State Department of Agriculture in May, 1928.

Member of V. P. I. Board

He was a member of the board of visitors of the V. P. I. from 1920 to 1924 and took a leading part in the establishment of the Virginia Grange in 1928. He was elected master of the Grange in 1932 and reelected to that office in 1940. He was a Mason and a communicant of St. Thomas' Episcopal Church.

His first wife was the late Mrs. Margaret Robinson Ferguson. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Eldona O. Ferguson; two daughters, Mrs. Franklin A. Trice of Richmond, and Mrs. Madison A. Bailey of York, Pa.; a brother, H. Winston Ferguson and two sisters, Mrs. John Webb and Mrs. Luther Webb, of Appomattox County, and by three grandchildren.

The following editorial appeared in the Richmond NEWS LEADER, following the death of Dr. Meade Ferguson, prominent native of Appomattox county:

DR. MEADE FERGUSON, whose death we had the distress of reporting yesterday, gave to his native State an unusual combination of scientific knowledge and of human understanding. He knew the people of the Old Dominion as surely as he knew the field under his microscope. Although he had at Gottingen, in the better days of Germany, as wide and as sound training in bacteriology as the world then offered, he never lost the "common touch" of his own people. Dr. Ferguson was the first bacteriologist of the State Department of Health upon its organization in 1908 and he had a notable part in the extension of laboratory facilities to the physicians of rural Virginia. After six years with the Commonwealth, he served from 1914 to 1927 as one of the principal editors of the Southern Planter. Steadily, during that rich period of wise counseling, his scientific mind increasingly became absorbed in plant inoculation. Although his impregnable modesty kept him from speaking of his results, he undoubtedly was among the pioneers in that promising field of agricultural advancement. In the work of the National Grange he similarly was active. Quiet, sometimes grave in appearance, he had the liveliest and at the same time gentlest humor. Devotion was the ideal of his life.

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Spout Spring

Spout Spring, Aug. 11.- The Spout Spring home demonstration club will have a picnic at Tonawanda Lake Friday August 14.

Sergeant James Hancock spent the week-end at home.

Mrs. N. J. Webb and children, of Lynchburg are visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Cyrus spent the week-end at their home here. They have been spending several weeks at Bensack, Va., where Mr. Cyrus is at work.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Cyrus and daughter, of Blackstone spent the week-end here.

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Miss Mattie McCormick spent Thursday night in the home of Miss Lucille Moon.

Misses Hazel and Margaret Moon spent Thursday night with Miss Emma Johnston.

Mrs. W. A. Moon is spending several days this week in Roanoke.

Beckham

Beckham, Aug. 11.- Your correspondents in their letters were alluding to the extreme dry weather, and things generally were suffering extremely. Now this week the letters will be quite the reverse. The land is wetter now than for quite a while. The river was reported today to be rising right much.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Martin returned home Thursday night after spending a week in traveling. They visited her brother, J. W. Grow and wife in Roanoke, who joined them on the trip, going to St. Louis, Mo. Cleveland, Ohio. They reported a wonderful trip, and enjoyed being in the homes of her brothers, S. O. and A. E. Grow.

Misses Josephine, Alice Walker, and Gertrude Martin recently spent a week in the home of their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Martin, of Appomattox.

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Quite a number from this community attended the burial of Carlton Moore at Mt. Comfort last Monday. We extend sympathy to the family.

Marvin Drinkard, of the Colony, spent the week-end with his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Martin.

S. G. Martin and daughter, Josephine were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Len Martin.

Master Everett Martin is spending this week at his grandmother's, Mrs. E. C. Martin.

A lawn party will be held at Trinity Church next Saturday P. M. August 15th. Ice cream, lemonade, all kinds of sandwiches will be on sale. Proceeds for building fund.

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